

**Moultonborough Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes**  
**Monday, July 11, 2016 7:00 pm Moultonborough Town Hall**

1. In attendance: Marie, Bob, Jim, Brian (seated as regular member) and Bill
2. Review Minutes from June 6, 2016, Meeting – Brian moved to approve and Bob seconded. All approved.
3. Permits/Applications/Correspondence/Complaints – Only major issue is an ongoing dock problem on Black Cat Island.
4. Budget
  - Bill for FB Environmental NRI study – An invoice came in for another \$1,262 on the \$12,040 contract total. Brian moved to pay and Jim seconded. All approved. Discussed deliverable for NRI and suggested that a draft should be delivered for review well in advance of final copy.
  - There is a need to create a separate spread-sheet column to total the LPP purchase expenses and income.
5. Lee's Pond Preserve
  - Sign – The sign is up. Cost for graphics on the sign is \$160. The funds will come out of the operating budget. Bills to still come in include the lumber for the sign.
  - Fund raising – The total, including pledges is \$40,000.
  - LChip – The application for a \$50,000 grant is submitted.
  - Marie sent a press release about the sign-raising to a variety of papers.
  - Other – The web site, leesponidpreserve.com is up and a short \$6 Facebook ad campaign was run to raise awareness in the project.
6. NRI update
  - a. On request of FB Environmental, a water test of Garland Pond was done in June. The bill for this, from DES, will be first sent to Winnepesaukee Association, since it is part of the Moultonborough Bay Inlet water quality study.
7. Moultonborough Bay Inlet Update
  - a. A water test in Lee's Pond was done in June. Samples from the same location were sent to UNH and DES testing labs. The results for phosphorus were very different. While UNH measured 8.5 ppm, DES measured 11. More testing will be scheduled.
  - b. Based on recommendations from FB Environmental, there are a few changes in the water testing locations in Moultonborough Bay Inlet.
  - c. Lees Association showed people the shoreline quality score and photographic survey data recorded last Summer and recommended fixes, along with vendors that could help.
  - d. Bill will talk with Pat about presenting the results in a public consumable form.
8. Other
  - a. Brian walked the Garland pond conservation area with the Nature Conservancy. There is interest in joint projects for invasive species, water quality data, an upgrade to their parking lot, clear brush and linked trails.
9. The meeting adjourned at 8:30. The next meeting is August 1, 2016